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### **May 1, 2014 Release**

- New Copyright Office fees become effective on May 1, 2014. ([See list of fees.](#))
- eCO filers will be prompted to answer "yes" or "no" to three statements to determine the appropriate application (Single or Standard) for registering their work. Single Applications are for one work by one author (not made for hire) who is also the sole owner of all rights in the work. Standard Applications are for all other registrations. Filers will have the opportunity to change to the Standard Application if it becomes apparent that the Single Application is not appropriate for the work being registered. Using the Single Application when a work does **not** meet the requirements will result in processing delays, an additional fee, and a later effective date of registration.
- If Copyright Office staff determine that a work does not meet the Single Application requirements, the filer will be contacted at the email address listed on the application with instructions on how to pay the additional fee and resubmit on the Standard Application.

### **June 28, 2013 Release**

An alternate streamlined application path for certain claims will be introduced. When beginning a registration application, you will answer three questions to determine whether the information will be entered using the new Single application or with the Standard series of screens.

If you are registering one work, created and solely owned by the same individual (not "made for hire"), you will use the more streamlined Single application screens to enter information. Otherwise, you will use the Standard screens to complete the application.

The following categories of work may not be registered using the Single application: collective works, unpublished collections, units of publication, group registration options, databases, websites, works by more than one author, and works with more than one owner.

To watch a webinar demonstration of the updated application process, click the following link (you'll be asked to login by entering a name and email address):  
<http://login.icohere.com/copyright?pnum=GZL35576>

### **March 15, 2013 Release**

Monthly Copyright Office Deposit Account statements for accounts linked to eCO will be viewable online, beginning with statements generated in April 2013. The statements will also be sent as email attachments to the account holder.

When entering an email address, you will receive a prompt if it appears that you've entered either an invalid address or multiple addresses.